

Middletown



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MIDDLETOWN, NEW CASTLE COUNTY, DELAWARE, SATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 1, 1870.

NO. 1.

ROCKHILL & WILSON.

ARE NOW
READY with the richest and rarest styles!
Overcoats in countless variety!
Clothes! Clothes! Clothes! Clothes!
Height of the fashion!
Indeed you will be pleased,
Look at the
Lots of elegant clothes!

603 and 605
Chestnut St.
Philadelphia.

W
inter, gentlemen, winter!
Ice, snow, frost, and so forth!
Lowest prices for winter defences!
Safe against storm and snow, in
Overcoats of Rockhill & Wilson!
Now is the time to lay in your winter clothes!
The cold is great,
But the rush is greater,
From all parts of this State,
And every other State.
The best men come to
Buy their Best Clothes
Wonderfully cheap,
At the Great Brown Hall.

ROCKHILL & WILSON,
603 & 605 CHESTNUT STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.
December 11, 1869.

NEW STOVE, TIN, AND HOUSE-FURNISHING STORE.

THOMAS H. ROTHWELL'S
NEW BUILDING,
North Side of Main Street, 4 Buildings West
of Town Hall,
Middletown, Delaware.
Where he has constantly on hand, and is pre-
pared to manufacture
ALL KINDS OF TIN WARE,
At Short Notice.

Particular attention paid to
ROOFING AND SPOUTING.
Orders respectfully solicited and promptly atten-
ded to.

STOVES.

THE NATIONAL,
CONTINENTAL,
ORIENTAL,
CHARM,
GEM,
SUN,
LITTLE GIANT,
BRILLIANT,
Prize and the Victor Cook.

Orders will be received and promptly filled for
any kind of Stove that may be ordered.

GALVANIZED RUSSIA AND SHEET IRON
ZINC,
COAL HODS, SEIVES,
POKERS, SHOVELS,
TEA KETTLES, BAKE PANS, WAFFLE IRONS
SAD IRONS, BRASS & ENAMELED
PRESERVING KETTLES,
ENAMELLED SAUCE PANS,
TEA BELLS, JAPANESE CHAMBER BUCKETS,
SPITTOONS, WAITERS, LANTERNS,
FLOUR AND PEPPER BOXES,
SAND CUPS, MATCH SAFES (Cast Iron),
MOLASSES CUPS,
PEACH CANS,
(Soldered and Self-Sealing),
PATENT CLOTHES FRAMES, &c. &c. &c.

Attention is respectfully called to our new
FAMILY & RESTAURANT STOVE
Which is especially adapted to stewing, frying,
and broiling oysters.
No wood, no coal, no gas, no stove pipe,
no ashes, no dirt, no wood boxes, no coal ac-
cidents, no kindling wood but a friction match,
and the fire in full blast in half a minute, even hot
in two minutes, steak broiled in seven minutes,
bread baked in thirty minutes, the fire extin-
guished in a moment. It has no rival in all
kinds of cooking, and in economy, convenience,
neatness, safety and durability.
Please call and examine it in operation at
Thomas H. Rothwell's Stove Store,
MIDDLETOWN, DEL.
Sole owner of the stove for the State.

Prompt attention to business, moderate prices,
competent workmen, and a determination to
please, may at all times be expected by those who
may favor him with their custom.
Aug. 28-y

BOWER'S COMPLETE MANURE.

MANUFACTURED BY
HENRY BOWER, CHEMIST,
PHILADELPHIA.
MADE FROM
Super-Phosphate of Lime, Ammonia and
Potash,
WARRANTED FREE FROM ADULTERATION.
THIS Manure contains all the elements to pre-
duce large crops of all kinds, and is highly
recommended by all who have used it, also by
distinguished Chemists who have, by analysis,
tested its qualities.
Packed in bags of 200 pounds each,
DIXON, SHARPLESS & CO.,
AGENTS,
30 South Water and 40 South Delaware Avenue,
PHILADELPHIA.
For sale by WM. REYNOLDS,
79 South Street,
BALTIMORE, Md.
Also by JOHN A. REYNOLDS & SONS,
Middletown, Del.
And by dealers generally throughout the coun-
try.
For information, address Henry Bower, Phil-
adelphia, Jan. 9, 1869-ly.

MIDDLETOWN HOTEL.
J. H. WALKER,
Proprietor.

HAVING succeeded Mr. L. R. Davis, in the
proprietorship of this well known, long es-
tablished, and popular establishment, the present
proprietor will spare no pains to insure the com-
fort of his guests, and make his house, as hereto-
fore, the favorite resort of the traveling public.
A well filled larder, a well furnished table; com-
fortable and airy apartments; the choicest brands
of Liquors, Cigars, and Tobacco; with a determi-
nation to render the fullest satisfaction, com-
bined with attentive waiters, reliable hostlers,
and moderate charges, will, he feels assured, se-
cure to him a continuance of the liberal patronage
heretofore bestowed upon the establishment.
Accommodation for Drivers and Dealers in
Horses and Mules always be secured. A lib-
eral share of the public patronage is respectfully
solicited.
JOSEPH H. WALKER,
Successor to L. R. Davis,
Oct. 17-ly

DR. J. J. VANDERFORD, Graduate of the Pennsylvania College of DENTAL SURGERY.

H
AVING respectfully announced to the public
that he is prepared to perform all operations per-
taining to the practice of
DENTISTRY.
ARTIFICIAL TEETH Mounted on Dental Vul-
canite, a material superior to metals in its adapt-
ability and durability.
Persons having badly adjusted gold plates can
have them exchanged for the Vulcanite.
Great care will be given to Children's Teeth;
irregularities corrected, and deciduous teeth pre-
served until the permanent ones make their ap-
pearance.
A superior Dentist constantly on hand
Office on the corner of Scott and Main streets,
formerly occupied by D. L. Dunning.
April 16, 1869-ly

WINE AND LIQUOR STORE, Middletown, Delaware.

THE undersigned takes this method of notifi-
ing the public that he has opened a
WINE AND LIQUOR STORE
In Middletown, Del. on Wood street, opposite the
Depot, where he has on hand a large and varied
assortment of Wines and Liquors, in bottles and
casks, which he offers on advantageous terms to
purchasers at wholesale or retail.
Also, a fine stock of choice TOBACCO
AND CIGARS.
THOMAS MURRAY.

LIVERY STABLE.

H
ORSES AND CARRIAGES for hire at the
Stables of Thomas Murray, on Scott street.
The horses are safe, and careful drivers will
be provided when desired. Terms moderate. Ap-
ply to
Jan. 2-y.

Middletown Furniture Warerooms.

JOSEPH H. EXOS
KEEPS constantly on hand an assortment of
FURNITURE suitable to the market, con-
sisting of
COTTAGE SUITS,
BEDSTEADS, CHAIRS, WASHSTANDS,
Parlor and Dining Room Furniture, &c.
ALSO
FURNISHING UNDERTAKER.
COFFINS of all kinds and styles; Metallic Cas-
kets; Patent Burial Cases to order. Jan. 4-ly

MANSION HOUSE HOTEL, North West Corner Fayette & St. Paul Sts.

OPPOSITE BARNUM'S CITY HOTEL,
BALTIMORE.
Isaac Albertson, Proprietor.
This is one of the most pleasant and cen-
tral locations in the city.
January 4, 1869-ly

WHOOPIING COUGH CURED BY DELAVER'S CELEBRATED REMEDY.

Price Fifty Cents.
Prepared at Sixth and Wood Sts. Philadelphia.
Ask your Druggist for it.
Mar. 6-ly

MIDDLETOWN IRON FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP.

PLOWS and Plow Castings, Machine Castings
of all kinds on hand or made to order.
Particular attention given to Repairing Machi-
nery. Cash for old iron.
WM. L. BUCKE & SON,
Founders and Machinists.
April 4-ly

PERSONS VISITING MIDDLETOWN DURING THE HOLIDAYS

Should call at HAYES' and try a YARA CIGAR.
Dec. 25

LUMBER. LUMBER.

THE subscribers offer to the citizens of Middle-
town and surrounding country their thanks
for the very liberal patronage they have received
and embrace this medium in announcing to all
builders and contractors and those in want of
Lumber, that they are prepared to supply them
on the most liberal terms. We have reduced our
price, as the market has demanded, and we think
that they will compare with the city prices. Our
stock is very large, embracing a full assortment
of
SPRUCE,
HEMLOCK,
AND OAK FRAMING STUFF,
ALL SIZES.

WHITE PINE BOARDS,
HEMLOCK "
OAK PLANK,
WHITE PINE DO.
WHITE PINE SIDING.
YELLOW PINE FLOORING,
HEMLOCK
PLASTERING LATHES.
SPRUCE AND CYPRESS SHINGLES.
PLAIN AND FANCY PICKETING.
SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS.

Building Hardware,
NAILS AND SPECIALITIES.

BRICKS,
CALCINE PLASTER, LIMF & HAIR
NEWES' PHOSPHATE.

PAINTS, OIL, TURPENTINE,
VARNISH, DRY JAPAN, GLASS.
J. B. FENIMORE & CO.,
On the Railroad, above the National Hotel.
January 25-ly

PURIFY YOUR BLOOD! LONDON BLOOD PANACEA.

The Great Alternative and Blood Purifier.
For the cure of SCROFULA or King's
Evil, CUTANEOUS DISEASES, ERY-
SIPULAS, BOILS, PIMPLES, and
all other eruptions of the skin, FUR-
UNCLES, YELLOW JAUNDICE, WHITE
SWELLINGS, MERCURIAL DIS-
EASES, GONORRHOEA, GLEET, DYS-
ENTERY, BLANDER and KIDNEY DIS-
EASES, GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, DYSPEP-
SIA, LIVER COMPLAINT, SICK
HEADACHE, FEMALE COMPLAINTS,
&c. To the broken down female it
gives life and energy by restoring
the lost powers of nature. Persons
all weakness and lassitude, by us-
ing the PANACEA are soon re-
stored to perfect health, bloom and
vigor. Try it.
Price \$1.00 Per Bottle.

S. A. FOUTZ, Manufacturer and Proprietor, BALTIMORE, MD.

For sale by
W. H. BARR,
Middletown, Del.
May 8-ly

ENGEL, ROTHERMEL & CO. SHIPPERS AND DEALERS IN COAL

Schenck Navigation Wharves, Wind-
mill Island, Delaware River, oppo-
site Lombard Street,
PHILADELPHIA.

OFFICES, 108 Walnut St. 308 S. Del. Avenue.
COAL supplied in vessels, in large or small
quantities, or lots to suit purchasers.
April 10, 1869-3m

ATTEND TO YOUR TEETH.

FEW persons are properly impressed
with the importance of giving early
attention to decaying teeth. The health is often
affected by them, to say nothing of the inconve-
nience and suffering which they produce. It is
important to have all caries promptly arrested.
If treated in time most teeth may be preserved.
Teeth Extracted Without Pain,
by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas, a harmless and
pleasant anesthetic.
J. J. VANDERFORD, D. D. S.,
Middletown, Del.
May 9-ly

FOR SALE. 100,000 Healthy Peach Trees, OF CHOICE VARIETIES.

Send For Price Lists, &c.
E. R. COCHRAN,
Middletown, Del.
sept. 18-6m

NEEDHAM

CHURCH, School and Parlor Organs and Me-
lodions of every description, at reduced
prices. Send for a copy of the last editions of
"SILVER TONGUE,"
which will be mailed free to any address upon
application to the oldest manufacturers of Reed
Organs and Melodions in America.
E. P. NEEDHAM & SON,
143, 145 & 147 East 23d St. New York.
Oct. 9-3mos.

NEW BAKERY, IN MIDDLETOWN, DEL.

North East Corner of Lake and Broad Streets.
THE undersigned wishes to inform his friends
and the public at large, that he has com-
menced the Baking Business in all its de-
partments, and will keep constantly on hand,
Bread, Cakes, Crackers, Pies, Candy,
and will supply Weddings, and Parties, with all
sorts of Cakes at short notice.
He has engaged a first class Baker to attend to
the business.
He will also continue the Baking Business in all
its branches.
FRANCIS TARNON.
March 6, 1869-4f

HENRY HARPER, 520 Arch Street, Philadelphia.

Has a good stock at low prices, of fine
WATCHES, JEWELRY, SOLID SILVERWARE
AND
Rogers' Triple Plated Spoons, Castors, Tea Sets,
&c, suitable for holiday or bridal presents
Nov. 13-3m

MIDDLETOWN STOVE HOUSE.

S. W. ROBERTS.
TAKES pleasure in announcing to his friends
of Middletown and surrounding country,
that the liberal patronage he has received has in-
duced him to offer to the public the greatest va-
riety, and best selected stock of Stoves, both
Cooking and Heating, ever offered in Middletown,
and at prices that cannot fail to please. Among
the assortment are the following
COOK STOVES.
NIAGARA, PARLOR COOK, MONITOR
CORAL COOK, WM. PENN, LEIGH,
and others made in the city.

PARLOR STOVES.
BRILLIANT, DEW DROP,
GAS BURNING BASE, UNION AIR TIGHT
PARLOR LIGHT, OUR PARLOR,
Also, SEXTON'S PARLOR HEATERS.
Stoves of all kinds suitable for Stores, Offices,
Barricades, and School Houses.
Also, the Morning Glory and the Oriental, both
unsurpassed in beauty and efficiency. They can
be seen in operation at the store of the proprietor.
All sizes of Bar-room Stoves and Ten-plate
Stoves repaired at short notice.
Old Stoves taken in exchange.
TIN WARE at wholesale and retail.
N. B.—We deal in good Goods and endeavor
to sell at such prices that will give satisfaction.
The Chestnut and Market St. cars will
convey you to within a few doors of the store.
EDWIN HALL & CO.
28 South Second St. Philadelphia.
Oct. 9, 1869-3mos.

BOOK, STATIONERY, AND VARIETY STORE.

SCHOOL BOOKS and Miscellaneous Works,
Prayer Books and Hymn Books,
Blank Books, in various styles and binding;
Tack, Memorandum and Pass Books.
STATIONERY.
Writing, Letter, and Note Paper,
Envelopes, in variety;
Mourning Paper and Envelopes to match.
FANCY ARTICLES.
Photograph Albums, Ink Boxes, Fancy Boxes,
Filing Desks, Ladies' Satchels, Pocket Books,
Port Folios, Purses, Port Monies, Segar
Cases, Picture Frames, Tassel and
Coris, Looking Glasses,
BACK GAMMON BOARDS, CHESS AND
CHECKER MEN, GAMES of all KINDS.
Rubber Pencils and Pencilholders,
Writing Fluid and Ink Stands,
Pocket Cutnry, Rogers' Scissors, &c.
Sleeve Buttons, Studs, Breast Pins, Finger Rings,
Spectacles,
Violin Strings,
Combs, Brushes, Nail and Tooth brushes,
Gum Bands, Watch Keys, Key Rings,
and Puff Boxes.
A fine assortment of Colgate & Co's. Soap.
PHALON'S NIGHT BLOOMING CEREUS,
Wright's and Taylor's Superior Extracts,
Pomades, Hair Oils,
And Dental Soap of the First Quality.
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.
Neck Ties of various styles, Bismarck Collars,
Gloves, Hose, Handkerchiefs, Cuffs, Wristlets,
Segars, Tobacco Pipes, Meerschaums, and To-
bacco Pouches,
Lamps, Lamp Chimneys, Wicks and Coal Oil.
NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES.
New York Ledger, Harper's Weekly, Bazaar and
Magazine, Frank Leslie's Chimney Corner,
Weekly, Girls and Boys Weekly,
Gleason's Literary Companion, &c.
Godey's Peterson's, Atlantic, Arthur's, Gal-
axy and Min's Democrat's Magazines.
D. L. DUNNING,
No. 2 Town Hall,
Middletown, Del.
Jan. 30-ly

WILMINGTON Commission House.

J. L. HOUSTON,
PROPRIETOR of the Wilmington Tea House,
has also opened a COMMISSION HOUSE,
adjoining, for the sale of
Cereals, Fruits, all kinds of Berries,
Peaches, Apples, Pears,
NEW POTATOES, POULTRY, EGGS, GRAIN,
And all the productions of our Farmers, Garden-
ers, and Nurseriesmen, and flatters himself that he
can furnish a market for these nearer home and more
advantageous than can be had in more dis-
tant cities, saving double freightage and two or
three commissions to producers, traders and con-
sumers, and a Reliable House, Quick Sales, and
Sure Returns.
His House is said to be most eligible, ample ac-
commodations, airy, and finely adapted to the
sale of Home Productions, and the preservation
of perishable fruits.
As the Peach World will be pressing, and the
sale immense, it may be well that those who wish
the services of this House should make previous
engagements, as engagements will be many; and
it is desired, so that they may be prepared for
the market; and they will not sell the inferior
productions without the good and the best.
Address J. L. HOUSTON,
Commission House,
428 Market St. cor. of 5th, Wilmington, Del.
June 19-y

THOMAS MASSEY, JR. CLOCK AND WATCH MAKER, Main Street, nearly opposite Walker's Hotel, Middletown, Delaware.

CLOCKS, Watches, Jewelry, &c. neatly and
promptly repaired.
Always on hand and for sale, Clocks, Watches,
Plated Ware, Forks, Spoons, Silver Napkin
Rings, Silver Thumbless, Salt, Sugar and Tea
Spoons, Butter Knives, Gold Breast-Pins, Ear-
Rings, Finger-Rings, Sleeve Buttons, Watch
Chains, Watch Keys, Key Rings, Steel Watch
Chains, &c., &c.
Dec. 12-4f

WEDDING RINGS.

No. 354 SOUTH EIGHTH STREET,
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA.
March 6-4f

1869 Fall and Winter Dress Goods. 1869

EDWIN HALL & CO.
28 South Second Street,
invites the attention of purchasers on visiting
Philadelphia to their large and
elegant stock of
DRY GOODS,
Consisting in part of
BLACK and COLORED SILKS,
FRENCH and IRISH POPLINS,
PLAIN and CORDED POPLINS,
Woolen and low priced DRESS GOODS,
DRESS GOODS of the latest styles constantly receiving
BLACK DRESS GOODS in GREAT VARIETY.
LONG and SQUARE BROCHE SHAWLS,
ARABIAN CHURCHILL JACKETS,
SILK CLOAK VELVETS,
SILK FINEST VELVETS,
SILK PLUSHES, all colors,
CLOTHS and CASSIMERES,
TABLE LINENS and NAPKINS,
SHEETINGS and SHIRTINGS,
BLANKETS and COUNTERPANES,
PIANO and TABLE COVERS,
WHITE GOODS, LACES, EMBROIDERIES,
GLOVES, HOSIERY, &c.
N. B.—We deal in good Goods and endeavor
to sell at such prices that will give satisfaction.
The Chestnut and Market St. cars will
convey you to within a few doors of the store.
EDWIN HALL & CO.
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THE DELAWARE Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Guarantee Capital \$100,000.00.
HOME OFFICE—EXCHANGE BUILDING
Cor. 7th & Market Sts.
Wilmington, Delaware.

THE Pioneer Mutual Company in adopting
Rates of Premiums based on American ex-
perience of mortality and interest.
Premiums lower than any other Mutual Com-
pany.
Purely mutual. All the profits divided among
the Policy-Holders. There are no stockholders
in this company.
All Policies non-forfeiting. Not after two
years, but after the first annual payment.
All kinds of policies issued. Ordinary Life,
Ten Year Plan, Single Payment and Instalment.
All kinds of Endowment Tables. Return Pre-
mium Table, Joint Life Table. Children's En-
dowment Table.
Premiums payable in one payment, in Five,
Ten, Fifteen or Twenty Instalments, or during
Life. Payments received annually, semi-annu-
ally, or quarterly. All payments required in Cash.
Dividends on the "Contribution Plan." It
will be observed that the reduction of rates is
equivalent to a Dividend in advance of at least
thirty-three and one-third per cent.
The Loan feature is entirely original with this
company—for full explanation send for the com-
pany's publications.

TABLE OF RATES

And any information required promptly furnish-
ed on application to the Home Office, or to
any of the Company's Agents.

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GENTLEMEN:—Encouraged by many friends I
am induced to offer myself as a candidate for
nomination for Sheriff for the County of New
Castle, pledging myself to abide by the nomina-
tion of said Party and give my hearty support to
the successful candidate. Respectfully,
W. H. LAMBSON.
New Castle, Md. Dec. 25-4f

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GENTLEMEN:—My name, as a candidate for the
Sheriffalty, will gain before the party for nomina-
tion. From the generous support accorded me
in the past, I am led to hope success will crown
my third attempt. Should fate decree oth-
erwise, the successful nominee shall have my cor-
dial support. Trusting the principles of Demo-
cracy may triumph, let the standard bearer be
whom he may. I have the honor to be
Very truly yours,
JAMES ARMSTRONG.
Dec. 18-1m.

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Take my advice, (this is no joke),
You'd better go to WINE'S

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By dropping in at WINE'S.

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And you or any other man,
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